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## OR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. § 1.114) EXAMINER CONFIRMATION NO. FILING DATE APPLICATION SERIAL NO. May 14, 2007 Keith A. COLEMAN 9604 10/579,707 APPLICANT(S): ART UNIT DOCKET NO.

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 This is a Request for Continued Examination AND DEDK CATALITY (RCE) of pending

application Serial No. 10/579,707, filed on May 14, 2000, ehtitled METHOD AND DEVICE FOR OPERATING A DRIVE UNIT.

The following constitute the submission required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

X_	Please enter the accompanying RCE-Amendment After a Final Office Action (further
responsi	ve to the Final Office Action mailed on November 23, 2010, for which the three-month
response	date is February 23, 2011).

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

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- 2. Please charge the fee of \$810.00, (which includes the required RCE and submission filing fee of \$810.00) to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon LLP, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.
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